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VOLUME XLIII

OUR NEW FIRE APPARATUS

COMPLETELY EQUIPPED WITH CHEMICAL APPARATUS, HOSE AND LADDERS.

Chief Wm. Dunbar is happy over the completion of a new fire truck, and had it out Tuesday to let the people look it over. It is nice and shiny and red and looks real nifty. But this is only a minor feature of this outfit for it is equipped to fight fire and to do it in a hurry and efficient.

The planning and work on the outfit were done by Fire Chief Wm. Dunbar. It cost, when finished, about \$1,000 and is equal to equipments to be seen in the market today. No. 2 fire truck, now on the South Side will come with its usual equipment. These departments afford Grayling efficient fire protection.

GARDEN NOTES.

Plants of late celery, cabbage, cauliflower are commonly set during the first two weeks in July.

A good distance for planting late large growing varieties of cabbage and cauliflower is 2½ feet.

The soil should be moist and prepared for planting, otherwise transplanting from the seed bed in the garden or field may not be successful unless the plants are carefully "watered in."

Late celery is best when blanched by banking with soil. Commonly plants are set 6 inches apart in rows not less than 3½ or 4 feet apart, but you will find that 5 or even 6 feet is better especially for the large growing varieties.

Chinese cabbage or "celery seed" is best grown as a fall crop. Seed should be sown during the first part of July so that the crop will mature during the cool fall months.

Saves Time and Labor.

Albert Kuepke, Wisconsin, Montana, says: "I would rather quit the ranch than do without Decco Light. It saves at least 14 hours per week in labor, at a cost of approximately \$1.25 per month."

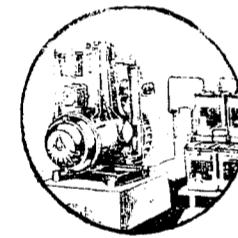
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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, JUNE 30, 1921

WOMAN DIVORCED WIFE AND FAMILY

WOMAN, JEALOUS OF FORMER HUSBAND'S HAPPINESS, CARRIES OUT DEATH THREAT.

OFFICIAL HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Deputy Sheriff Fired Upon When Enters Home to Investigate Cause of Shooting.

East Tawas, Mich.—Henry Wilkinson, a one-armed man of Bellfonte, Ohio, made good his threat to "get" his former wife and her husband.

His jealousy aroused by the happiness that his former wife met in second marriage, Wilkinson came to East Tawas Monday and shot Mr. and Mrs. Riley Griffiths, the two-year-old son Edward, and himself wounded. Wilkinson was shot just before the arrival of Deputy Sheriff Arthur Artman, who narrowly escaped death when he reached the Griffiths home to investigate the shooting.

The body occurred in the dining room of the Griffiths' house a few minutes after the family had been seated at the dinner table.

Wilkinson, who had been knocking at the Griffiths' front door and brandishing a gun, however, he shouted: "Now where I want you to be at the happiest moment in my life is in my house for 10 years. I've felt all the pain that a man deserved that can feel. Now it's my turn."

Wilkinson had even completed his fusillade from his home when he was shot at by Griffiths.

Griffiths, a bullet in the head, was taken to the hospital in the penalty Wilkinson paid. Summoning all his strength, he crawled to a bullet-proof gun. From behind him, he shot at Wilkinson in the abdomen. This was the last bullet he had.

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THIS MAN DREADED TO SEE NIGHT COME

Was So Restless He Couldn't
Sleep and Daylight Was
Always Welcome.

"With the exception of a little milk toast, which comprised my diet for more than eight weeks, I could not eat anything," said Capt. Geo. W. Womble, residing at 105 Jenkins St., Knoxville, Tenn., a highly respected citizen of that city.

"I am now able," continued Captain Womble, "after taking two bottles of Tanlac, to eat practically anything I had a bad form of stomach and intestinal trouble for a long time and for months my condition had been such that I suffered agony. I got so I could not eat the simplest food. I tried doctor after doctor and all kinds of medicine, but nothing that was prescribed for me seemed to do me any good. I had a terrible pain in my breast just over my heart and for weeks and weeks I got no relief.

"I finally got so nervous that I actually dreaded to see night come, as I could not sleep, and was always so restless that I would rejoice to see daylight come. I was also constipated all of the time. In fact, life seemed a burden and I was so miserable that I was almost on the verge of despair. Several of my neighbors told me about Tanlac and advised me to try it.

"I am personally acquainted with Mr. Dan M. Chambliss, of the firm of Kuhman & Chambliss and when I told him of my condition and how I suffered he advised me to begin taking Tanlac without delay and that it had relieved hundreds of the best people in Knoxville. I have now taken two bottles of Tanlac and am giving you this testimonial in the hope that it may induce others to take it. Since taking this medicine I actually feel like I had been made all over again with the youth, energy and ambition of a sixteen-year-old boy."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Advertisement.

Enough Said.

"Does he boast much?"

"Well, he's from California."—Detroit Free Press.

AN OPEN LETTER TO WOMEN

Mrs. Little Tells How She
Suffered and How Finally
Cured

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was not able to do my housework and had to lie down most of the time and felt bad in my left side. My monthly periods were irregular, sometimes five or seven months apart and when they did appear would last for two weeks and were very painful. I was sick for about a year and a half and doctored without any improvement. A neighbor recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me, and the second day after I started taking it I began to feel better and I kept on taking it for several months. Now I keep healthy and perform all my household duties. You can use these facts as you please and I will recommend Vegetable Compound to everyone who suffers as I did."—Mrs. J. S. LITTLE, 3455 Livingston St., Philadelphia, Pa.

How much harder the daily tasks of a woman become when she suffers from such distressing symptoms and weakness as did Mrs. Little. No woman should allow herself to get into such a condition because such troubles may be speedily overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for more than forty years has been restoring American women to health.

Virtue.

Virtue is not to be considered in the light of mere innocence, or abstaining from harm, but as the exertion of our faculties in doing good.—Butler.

Justice is just what the unjust are anxious to avoid.

SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon recognized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

She Tried to Be Agreeable.

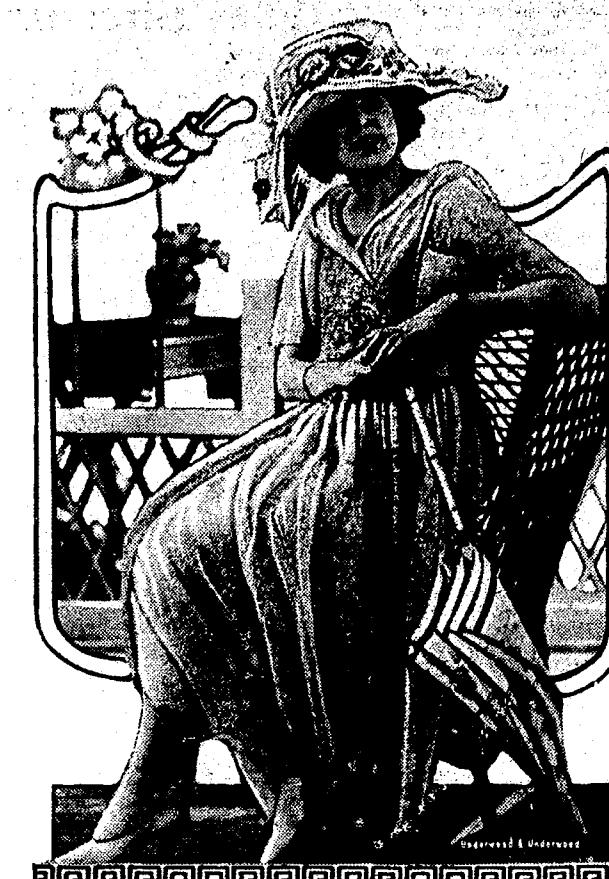
See Captain (introducing friend to his old aunt)—This is my old friend, Parker; he lives on the Canary Islands.

"How interesting," murmured old auntie, and gathering all her wits, she adds: "Then, of course, you bring."

Sure Relief

BELL-ANS
FOR INDIGESTION

FROCKS OF ENDURING CHARM FOR MIDSUMMER



EVERY summer finds in its bright cortège, lovely afternoon frocks of white or of black lace, and they are always welcome. Good lace cannot go out of fashion. Women of judgment—and whose judgment is important—never fail to appreciate it. So styles come and go, all of them interpreted in lace that make dresses of the most enduring charm. An occasional season finds colored laces an item of importance—there is never one that finds white or black negligible.

In the beautiful afternoon gown pictured an all-over white lace, run with black, makes a costume that will serve either for day or evening wear, and will find few rivals in appropriateness. By means of the proper accessories it is fitted into either background—and this is one of the reasons for the unfailing high esteem in which lace is held by women of good judgment.

In the frock pictured the lace is

draped over a foundation of georgette crepe and the design simple. The bodice has elbow sleeves cut in kimono style, with front panel of lace and a noteworthy collar of the georgette, very full and soft and suggestive of a fichu. An unpretentious girdle of ribbon has ribbon flowers set across the front and they are made to correspond with the colors in the summery Dresden silk parasol. This parasol is just the right accompaniment for the wide-brimmed hat of white georgette, with a long spray of flowers trailing across its drooping brim. White silk hose and kid pumps round out a perfect afternoon toilette for smart occasions. By means of a more elaborate sash or girdle, a different headress, a suitable fan and perhaps even dresser slippers, one can imagine this frock making a triumph in the evening. It is of the sort that does not grow tiresome.

SOME HATS FOR SUMMER



THOSE who express their thoughts in terms of millinery must be at their happiest when they create the lovely hats of midsummer. The gracious days and nights of summertime, prodigal of beauty, are written in these lacy and flowery garnishings—they are truly the poetry of apparel, and the talent of the designer blossoms at its best in them.

While their season lasts, designers revel in them and the fashion reporter would willingly cover pages with their pictures. But four of many gems, as shown in the picture above, are sufficient to reveal the character of this millinery and the manner in which it has been expressed this season.

The wide-brimmed, transparent hat at the top of the picture might be appropriately called a midsummer night's dream. It is made of black mulines.

At each side there is a cluster of white lilles—the fragrant, old-fashioned lilles that bloom in gardens everywhere, reproduced with beautiful fidelity in a fabric.

Julie Bottomly

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draped and looped in an uneven hem line.

London Hats Are Red.

Red is the dominant note in all the fine summer hats being shown by leading milliners in London. Shades include lacquer, sealing-wax, rose-red and smoked salmon.

Coffee in Cookies.

Cold coffee used instead of water in making molasses or ginger cookies gives them a delightful flavor.

CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

MARKETS

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Feed and Grain.
WHEAT—Cast No. 2 red, \$1.36; July, \$1.32; September, \$1.31.
YOUNG CORN—Cast No. 2, 62 1/2c; No. 3, 58 1/2c; No. 4, 54 1/2c; No. 5, 50 1/2c; No. 6, 46 1/2c.
RYE—Cast No. 2, \$1.32.
BEANS—Immediate and prompt shipment, per cwt.
BARLEY—Feeding, \$1.30@1.40 per cwt.
SEEDS—Prime red clover, \$1.50; October, \$1.50; alfalfa, 14c; timothy, \$2.10.
1 Y. old timothy, \$1.50; 2 Y. old, \$1.20; 3 Y. old, \$1.10; 4 Y. old, \$1.00.
FEED—Bran, \$24; standard middlings, \$16; fine middlings, \$26; cracked corn, \$10; wheat and oat straw, \$12.50@13 per ton in carlots.

FLOUR—Puny, average wheat patents, \$16.50@17c; second wheat, wheat patents, \$15.50@16c; winter wheat, straight, \$15.50@16c per bbl.

Live Stock and Poultry

CATTLE—Best heavy steers, \$7.00@7.25; best handy wt. butcher steers, \$7.50@7.75; mixed steers and heifers, \$6.00@7.00; light steers, \$5.50@6.00; butchers, \$3.40@4.75; best cows, \$4.75@5.00; butcher cows, \$2.50@4.00; cutters, \$2.50@3.00; canners, \$2.25@3.00; best heavy bulls, \$4.75@5.00; best handy wt. bulls, \$3.40@4.50; feeders, \$1.50@2.00; stockers, \$1.25@1.75; milkers, \$1.00@1.25.

LAMB—Best lambs, \$11@12.50; fair lambs, \$9@10; light to common lambs, \$8@7.75; yearlings, \$4@9; fair to good sheep, \$3.50@4; culs and combs, \$1.50@2.

HOGS—Mixed hogs, \$8.50; pigs, \$8.75; heavy hogs, \$8; roughs, \$7; stags, \$5; hounds.

PILES—Best grades, \$10.50@11; common and light, \$7.00@7.25; heavy coarse, \$4@5.

LIVE POULTRY—Broilers, colored stock, 1.25@1.50; up to 40@42c; leghorns and stock, 30@32c; pullets, 1.00@1.25; old roasters, 1.5c; ducks, 2.0c; large young ducks, 5.50@6.00; geese, 1.5c; turkeys, 25c per lb.

Garden and Farm Produce

APPLES—Western boxes, \$2.25@3.50.

RASPBERRIES—Red, \$14 per 24-qt. case; black, \$8 per 16-qt. case.

CHERRIES—Red, \$12 per 24-qt. case; sour, \$8@10 per 16-qt. case.

PEACHES—Georgia Elberta, \$2.75@3.25 per 6-basket carrier.

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STRAWBERRIES—Michigan, \$5@6.25 per 24-quart case.

ONIONS—North Carolina, \$3.50@4.00; Virginia, \$4@4.25 per bbl.

Tomatoes—\$2.50@3.25 per six-basket crate; original crates, \$3.50@4.

DRESSED HOGS—Light, 10c; heavy, 8c@9.50 per 24-qt. case.

CABBAGE—Small crate, \$2@2.50 per case.

POTATOES—Old, \$1.25@1.50 per 150-lb. sack.

DRESSED CALVES—Choice, 13@14c; medium, 11@12c; large coarse, 8@10c per 150-lb. sack.

CELERY—Michigan, 20@25c per doz.

LETTUCE—Imperial Valley, 17c@20c per doz.

ONIONS—Texas, white, 42@4.25; yellow, \$1.85@2 per crate.

Vegetables

Asparagus—Michigan, \$1.75@2 per flat; greenhouse, \$1.50@1.75 per flat; round radishes, \$2@2.25 per bu; green peppers, \$1.75@2 per hamper and \$1.25@1.50 per flat; parsnips, \$1.25@1.50 per flat; new carrots, \$1.25@1.50 per flat; new turnips, \$1.25@1.50 per doz; bunches; green and beans, \$1.75@2 per hamper; green peas, \$1.75@2 per bu; green beets, \$2 per doz; turnips, \$1.25@1.50 per bu; turnips, \$1.25@1.50 per doz; green onions, \$1.25@1.50 per bunch.

Butter and Eggs

BUTTER—Best creamery, in tubs, 29c per lb.

EGGS—Fresh, candled, 26 1/2c per doz.

TWO WOLVERINES ON LOST TUG

Secretary Denby Has Hopes That Missing Conestoga Will Be Found.

Washington.—The names of four officers and 49 enlisted men abroad the lost naval tug Conestoga, which were announced last week included those of: Steven Bernard, Escanaba, Mich.; and Fred Shook, Shelbyville, Mich.

Secretary Denby said he still refused to abandon hope that the tug or her company would be found. She sailed from Mare Island, March 25, for Samoa via Pearl Harbor and no trace of her has been found despite a thorough search of the Pacific waters.

WOOD BACKER ASKS FOR REFUND

Colonel Procter Claims \$745,433 Due from Campaign Cost.

Chicago.—William Cooper Procter, of Cincinnati, former chairman of the Leonard Wood national campaign committee, has filed a bill in superior court here, asking an accounting and money decree to compel eight other organizers of the committee to reimburse him \$745,433 as their share in the \$812,000 expenses in promoting General Wood for Republican candidate for president.

HEALTH ENDANGERED AT RESORT

State Board of Health Seeks Injunction in West State Case.

Holland, Mich.—Injunction proceedings have been started by the state board of health against the Macatawa Resort association, alleging that the sewage disposal system at the noted resort is such that the lives of the thousands of resorters are imperiled.

Colonel's Barn Carried Away.

New Orleans—Col. George McClellan Derby of the noted United States Army Engineers is a hardened veteran. But when he glanced into his back yard the other morning and saw his stable had vanished, even he hissed. Col. Derby and the police hit the trail. The stable, neatly stacked, was found in front of the residence of Edward and Herman Beldor, who confessed to taking the stable to use the lumber. Now Col. Derby has his stable again. But he must rebuild it.

Uses Mirror for Fish Bait.

Oswego, N. Y.—No more empty baskets for fishermen. That's what the invention of J. F. Anderson—a hook with bait attached—promises.

For some months he had been experimenting with a small looking glass that goes into the water just behind the baited hook. The fish sees a big angle worm squirming in the water and the reflection of another fish in about to snatch it away. It becomes a question as to who gets it first and the result is that the sucker is hooked.

London Hats Are Red.

Red is the dominant note in all the fine summer hats being shown by leading milliners in London. Shades include lacquer, sealing-wax, rose-red and smoked salmon.

Coffee in Cookies.

Cold coffee used instead of water in making molasses or ginger cookies gives them a delightful flavor.

Are You Human?

A little baby. A little child. Don't they appeal to you? Doesn't your heart yearn to pick them up, to cuddle them close to you, to shield them from all harm? sure it does else you're not human. Being human you love them. Their very helplessness makes you reach out in all your strength to aid them. In health there's no flower so beautiful. In illness there's no night so black.

Save them then. Use every precaution. Take no chance.

When sickness comes, as sickness will, remember it's just a baby, just a child and if the Physician isn't at hand don't try some remedy that you may have around the house for your own use.

Fletcher's Castoria was made especially for babies' ills and you can use it with perfect safety as any doctor will tell you. Keep it in the house.

Children Cry For

Fletcher's

CASTORIA

Do the People Know?

Do you know why you are asked to call for Fletcher's Castoria when you want a child's remedy: why you must insist on Fletcher's?

For years we have been explaining how the popularity of Fletcher's Castoria has brought out innumerable imitations, substitutes and counterfeits.

To protect the babies: to shield the homes and in defense of generations to come we appeal to the better judgment of parents to insist on having Fletcher's Castoria when in need of a child's

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O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 30.

LOCAL NEWS

C. B. Olevarius was in Bay City Friday and Saturday on business.

Will Wingard has resumed his old position at the Kraus Hardware.

Miss Charlotte Bladon of Jackson is a guest of Miss Kathryn Clark.

Organdy dresses—organdy hats at Cooley & Redson's.

"Babe" Laurent came from Bay City Tuesday morning, and spent a couple of days visiting his parents and friends.

Miss Minnie Sherman has gone to Mexico, Missouri, where she has taken up a position, practicing her profession as nurse.

Ernest Duvall and family, Mearns, Leo Jorgenson and Forest Barber enjoyed a motor trip to Charlevoix and Petoskey last Sunday.

Miss Lucille Hanson arrived home from Ypsilanti the latter part of the week, where she has been the guest of Miss Helen Kirk since leaving the Knox school in New York.

Mrs. J. P. Davidson and son Gordon, are leaving today for Toronto and Cobalt, Ontario, for a visit with relatives. They were called to the former place by the illness of Mrs. Davidson's sister, Mrs. W. H. Thompson.

Some bargains in high grade watches. Ask to see them.

The Gift Shop.

Mrs. Celia Granger and son Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Corwin expect to drive to Grand Rapids the latter part of the week leaving Friday to spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bowman.

Claud Giffon this week purchased the Otto McIntyre resort at the north end of Lake Margretha from Mr. McIntyre and has taken immediate possession. To some this is one of the prettiest spots bounding on the lake.

Mrs. J. Parker, who has been visiting at the home of her son, J. P. Davidson the past three weeks has returned to her home in Bay City. Mrs. Thomas Roby, who also has been a guest at the Davidson home has returned to her home in Bay City.

C. B. Olevarius, and Christ Johnson, accompanied by Emerson Bates made a trip to Baye Falls, by auto leaving Monday. They visited the Salling Hanson company camps enroute, Mr. Olevarius making the trip in the interest of the company.

Some new pieces in cut glass received at the Gift Shop.

Dotted Swiss dresses—white hats at Cooley & Redson's.

Marcus Schaaf and family are at their summer home at Higgins Lake for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Morfit, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann and Mrs. R. H. Gillett motored to Wolverine Monday.

Mrs. P. D. Borchers is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Lester McPeak and three children of Bay City for a week.

Miss Marie Phalen left Wednesday for Oak Grove, Mich., for the summer. She expects to accept a position as clerk in a store there.

Mrs. W. E. Havens invited in a few friends Wednesday afternoon of last week to play cards. A pleasant afternoon was spent by those present.

A daughter, Marjorie June arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Millard, Thursday June 23rd. The mother was formerly Miss Hulda Sivars.

The quarterly meeting of the Darkish-Lutheran congregation will be held at Danebod hall next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. All members should be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Miller and Mr. and Mrs. L. Phalen of Fairgrove, Mich., motored from Bay City and spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. John Phalen.

Merrill Sherman of this city left last week on a motor trip to Atlanta, Ind., and enroute he met with an accident at South Bend, Ind. Particulars as yet have not been learned.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foster had as their guests a few days last week, the former's father, Mr. I. L. Foster and wife, and his brother, Mr. Richard Foster, all of Easton, Pa. Also Mr. Foster's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Water Rash of Dover, Del., and Mr. Harry Priddy of Hackettstown, New Jersey. They made the trip here by motor.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Corwin motored to Mt. Pleasant Friday taking their daughter, Miss Mildred, and her friend, Miss Erma Craven of Frederic to that place, where they will attend summer school at the Mt. Pleasant Normal. On their return they were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates at Clare, Mich.

Arthur C. McIntyre, commander of local post American Legion has been notified that the Board known as the Eligibility and Contact Field Squad of the Federal Board of Vocational education will be in Grayling on July 9th. He asks that all ex-service men, who desire to take up this training to meet with this board when they are in our city.

Yesterday was a happy day for Nadeine McNeven as she celebrated her sixth birthday. Twelve little friends were invited to spend the afternoon with her in honor of the occasion, and were royally entertained by the little hostess assisted by her parents. An auto ride was a much enjoyed feature and Mrs. McNeven served delicious refreshments to the little folks.

C. W. Stafford, manager of the bureau of war risk insurance, has written the chairman of the American Legion hospital committee, saying that Dr. W. H. Watterson had inspected the camp at Grayling and had reported favorably upon it for convalescing service men. The Grayling hospital will be put in condition at once and service men who are tubercular will be sent here for the summer. It is expected the hospital will be ready in about two weeks. It will be under supervision of the Legion.

"This has always been our policy and the increases in value of premiums each year has been accompanied by an increased showing in the class of exhibits. These in turn have attracted more and more attention to the fair, with the result that steadily increased earnings have enabled the fair to maintain its growth from year to year until it has assumed its front rank.

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The Otsego Herald and Times in its last issue contained the announcement of the marriage of Miss Nellie Hoyt and Mr. Dell Shetler both of Gaylord. The couple were married in Toledo September 20, 1916 and have kept their marriage a secret all during that time just announcing same to their friends in Gaylord last week. Mrs. Shetler is well-known in Grayling having taught in the local schools and also assisted in the postoffice here during the administration of her uncle M. A. Bates. She is a sister of Miss M. E. Hoyt, who taught in Grayling during the past three years, and who is the County commissioner of schools of Crawford county.

Secretary John W. Weeks, of the War Department has detailed Major George W. Ewell, Q. M. C., Sixth Corps Area, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., as the Army's observer on the 1921 "Around Lake Superior" tour of the Michigan Pikes Association, July 9-24. The 164 day tour will cover 1700 miles by road and 275 by rail, and Major Ewell will observe the mobility of the motorcade and the conduct of the tour, as well as road conditions, from the angle of the motor transport value of such events to the Army. On the 1920 tour Major F. C. Hecton, Third U. S. Infantry, Camp Sherman, O., then motor transport officer on the staff of Major General Leonard A. Wood, with headquarters in Chicago, was the Army's observer. The tourists will stop all night in Grayling July 10.

One of the most beautiful and unique luncheons of the mid-summer season was given Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emil Kraus, Mrs. Kraus being assisted by Mrs. Louis Joseph Kraus. The house was most attractively decorated with Japanese effects; Japanese parasols with brilliantly colored butterflies hung from the chandeliers, and in the corners of the rooms; while the side lights were covered with Japanese shades. The guests were received at the door by Mrs. Emil Kraus and again at the head of the stairs, by Mrs. Louis J. Kraus, who presented each lady with a small Japanese rose bouquet for the hair. The luncheon was served on small tables decorated with crystal baskets filled with roses and crystal candle sticks with Japanese shades. After luncheon some of the ladies played "500" while others were given squares of Japanese material with which some original article was to be made. Mrs. Victor Salling and Mrs. D. M. Howell held the highest scores for "500" and Mrs. Robt. Roblin, won the prize for sewing. The party was charmingly arranged and splendidly carried out and those present felt they had been royally entertained. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Robt. Roblin, Jackson, Mrs. Scarlett, Toledo, Mrs. Olaf Michelson, Detroit, Mrs. Carl Michelson, Mason and Miss Alexander, Detroit.

Frank says the rain is a good thing but it tore an awful hole in the back yard.

Men that are good smokers, come in and get a box of matches, blue tip, free!

Mrs. C. R. Keyport left Wednesday evening for Detroit to be gone for a few days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd DeNoyles Tuesday, a baby son. He will be known as Samuel L.

The Messrs. H. Savage and F. Wilson and Capt. Arton of Saginaw are enjoying fishing on the AuSable.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Sly and son Ben of Vanderbilt spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herrick.

Emerson Brown is on the program to render a solo at the band concert Friday evening in the Court house park.

The birth list in the Bay City Times-Tribune of Saturday reported a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. O. Swanson, who are making their home at 1900 Wenona street. Mr. Swanson employed for the summer at the du Pont plant in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ostrander and children of Hillman, who were in Grayling over Sunday, coming to attend the family reunion of the Ostrander family, returned Monday to their home. Miss Clara Whipple accompanied them for a visit.

The Avalanche will be pleased to receive accounts of births, deaths, marriages, parties or any other news that occur in your family, or any other news that may be of interest to our readers. Such information is always gratefully received at this office.

J. M. Keldsen, our local chiropractor, went to his home in Cheboygan to attend the marriage of his daughter, Miss Valborg, to Mr. Carl Titus, superintendent of the Cheboygan schools. The marriage is to occur today, Thursday, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Capt. and Mrs. Albert Weisenhofer of Detroit who were guests in the city returned Saturday to their home in Detroit. The former was in camp with commissioned officers at the military reservation, while Mrs. Weisenhofer visited her sister, Mrs. LeRoy Frosch.

The picnic given to the members of the W. B. A. O. T. M. last Thursday afternoon, by the officers and guard team of the organization was much enjoyed by the ladies. It took place at Lake Margretha and lunch was served at Collen's Inn, and in the evening dancing was enjoyed.

RICH REWARDS FOR 1921
STATE FAIR EXHIBITORS

A new high record will be reached in premium awards this year at the Michigan State Fair in Detroit, September 2 to 11. Numerous increases will be made over awards of last year, and those were among the highest ever paid in the United States.

Not only will there be a larger variety of premiums, but a notable increase in the regular awards. Prizes offered for the best of the popular breeds of cattle in Michigan will be especially alluring to livestock men who pride themselves on the excellence of their breed stock.

"Liberal premium lists attract the best exhibits," says Secretary-Manager G. W. Dickinson, of the state fair. "Encouragement must be given by the fair to the farmer who devotes his time to improving his breeds of stock or to the raising of the very highest grades of farm products.

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MOVIES AT STATE FAIR TO SHOW WORK IN SCHOOLS

Films depicting educational features of the work in Detroit schools will be shown on the moving picture screen at the Michigan State Fair to be held in Detroit September 2 to 11. Arrangements have been made by Secretary G. W. Dickinson for this novel feature to be added to this year's attractions. The Detroit school authorities joining in to make it one to be appreciated by grown-ups as well as by the school "kids" who enjoy seeing themselves in the movies.

The Detroit school showing will be in addition to the regular rural school exhibits, long a feature of the state fair, and which promise to be better than ever this year.

MECHANICAL EXHIBITS AT FAIR COVER WIDE FIELD

Automobiles, tractors, threshers and many other varieties of farm and city machinery and mechanical contrivances will form a big feature at the Michigan State Fair in Detroit, September 2 to 11. The leading men of the industrial world appreciate the splendid opportunity afforded by the state fair to demonstrate their creations to all comers and especially to the farmer visitors who are keenly interested in the new mechanical developments intended for use on the farm.

EGG LAYING CONTESTS AT STATE FAIR POULTRY SHOW

Poultry fanciers will have an enjoyable and instructive time at the Michigan State Fair in Detroit September 2 to 11. The exhibits will be greater than at any previous fair and will be featured by laying contests among the hens entered for the show in the poultry department.

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Men that are good smokers, come in and get a box of matches, blue tip, free!

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\$3.00 per gallon

When you use Sherman-Williams paints you know that you are using the highest quality that you can buy.

We have a miscellaneous supply of colors that we are anxious to close out, therefore we are willing to let them go at less than cost.

If you are planning any kind of painting, be sure and see our supply first. You will save money.

SALLING HANSON CO.
Hardware Department.

CARD OF THANKS.

For the beautiful floral contributions, kind words of sympathy and the many other kindnesses bestowed on us during our recent bereavement, the death of our loving husband and son we wish to extend our grateful thanks and appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borchers, and Family.
Mrs. Henry Borchers, Jr.

JAP'S DAUGHTER DENIED PLEA

Withdraws Application for Citizenship After United States Agent's Protest.

New York.—Miss Phyllis Miri Komori, an art student of White Plains, N. Y., whose application for citizenship was held up some time ago by Justice J. Addison Young of the Supreme court because her father was Japanese, although her mother was an American by birth, withdrew her application when a federal agent appeared before the jurist and announced the government would not permit a person of Japanese origin to be naturalized.

The case of Miss Komori, who was graduated from the White Plains high school two years ago with high honors, has attracted wide attention in Westchester county. Her mother is a public school teacher in this city. Her father is now in Japan, where he has been since she was one year old, when he abandoned her mother in London.

THE HOME OF THE SOUL.

In olden times, it was believed that the seat of the soul was the stomach most likely for the reason that a man is never so completely used up as when his stomach is out of order. For the cure of ordinary stomach troubles, there is nothing quite so prompt and satisfactory as Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Give them a trial. They only cost a quarter.

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No ad. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line.

SEND MONEY WITH ORDER

LOST—A BLUE COAT ON LAKE road between M. & N. E. depot and Collen's Inn. Finder return to this office.

FURNITURE REPAIRED. Work guaranteed. Also odd jobs of any kind of repair work wanted. Alfred Galloway, Brink street, near Finnish hall, South Side. Phone 922-2R.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL OR woman for housework. Apply office of State Forester, Burke Garage Building. 6-30-2.

LOST—TAIL BOARD TO AUTO trailer, with license number 298654. Finder please report to C. A. Canfield.

FOR SALE—EIGHT ROOM HOUSE north of Hospital, also some furniture and flock of Plymouth Rock chickens. Mrs. J. M. Bunting.

WANTED—SEWING, AT THE E. S. Chalker residence, corner Vine and Maple streets. Mrs. Jennie Murphy. 6-23-3.

WASHINGS WANTED—PHONE 622 or call Mrs. M. W. Nicols. 6-23-3.

LOST—HEAVY ROPE FROM OUT of my trailer, June 14th, somewhere on the Lake road. Finder please return to F. R. Welsh.

FOUND—CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE badge No. 8012. Owner may have same by calling at Avalanche office. 6-18-3.

BAY HORSE STRAYED TO MY place on stone road. Light in color and weight about 1200 lbs. Scott Wiley.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A MONROE Roadster. Jas. Jorgenson.

ROOMERS WANTED—MRS. WALTER Hanson, Chestnut St.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED COTTAGE at Lake Margretha. Address J. W. Garrison, Worthington, Ohio. R. F. D. No. 1. 5-26-1.

New Store on Cedar Street

Swim Kaps

All styles, sizes and shapes.

35c to \$2.50 each

(Genuine "Swim Kap" brand. The highest type of Bathing Caps)



LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 30.

Next Monday is Independence Day—July 4.

Frank Bennett is driving a new Ford Roadster.

Bernard Bromwell of Riverview spent Sunday in Grayling.

Frank Keenan, who represents Morley Bros. was in Grayling Thursday.

Tubby Marshall of Bay City spent Thursday and Friday visiting Lionel La Grow.

Melvin Cook and Melvin Freeland motored from Gaylord and spent Friday in Grayling.

Thomas Oliver of the Hemmeter Cigar Co. of Detroit was a Grayling caller Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Case and children of Detroit are visiting her mother Mrs. F. A. Eckefors.

Guy G. Pringle is enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. Pringle of Bay City, who came Friday.

M. A. Atkinson, the local dealer, delivered a new Overland car to Thomas Cassidy last week.

Mrs. Bert Ashenfelter is entertaining her mother Mrs. Mary Lecce of Detroit for several weeks.

Miss Laura Simpson of Cadillac is home for the summer visiting her mother Mrs. Amanda Simpson.

Mr. F. H. Morley of Saginaw arrived Friday to join his family at their cabin on the main stream.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Conklin and sons John and Bernard left Saturday night to spend a few days in Detroit.

Summer felt hats at Cooley & Redson's.

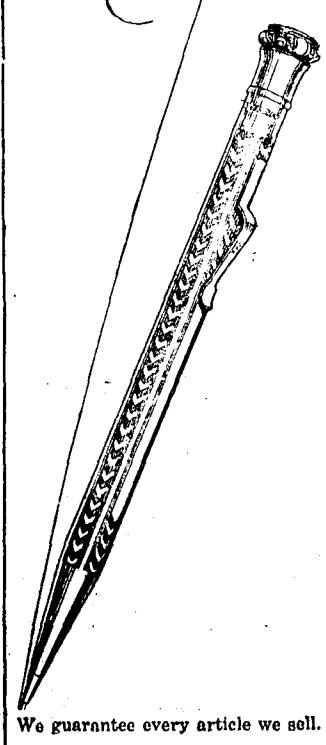
GIFTS THAT LAST

WHY do millions of writers use Eversharp exclusively? Because Eversharp is built with jeweler precision to give lifelong service. Because it makes writing easy. Because it is always ready when you want it. Because it reduces pencil expense. We have Evershars in standard lengths and in the shorter models; silver and gold. We sell the genuine Eversharp. The name is on the pencil.

Andrew Peterson
Jeweler.

EVERSHARP

WAHL PRODUCTS



We guarantee every article we sell.

A line of seasonable hats now on sale at very low prices.

The Hat Shop.

Mrs. Holger Peterson is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Rose Heany of Canton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Smith and daughter Geraldine of Owosso, Kentucky, are spending a couple of weeks here guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Doty. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are the parents of Mrs. Doty.

Mrs. S. S. Phelps entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leach of Holly, Mich., at her home over Sunday. The guests were newlyweds and were on their way to Mackinac Island to spend their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Roblin entertained a few friends at their home Friday evening of last week in honor of their son, Robert and his bride, who were their guests over the weekend. The latter left Saturday for Jackson to take up their residence.

Something seems to have been radically wrong with the local City team last Sunday. They went to Gaylord and were defeated in a game of ball to the tune of 8 to 1. Three pitchers of the local club were used the last one—Pete Johnson holding down the opponents to 1 hit.

Mrs. Ambrose McClain entertained a party of ladies Thursday evening of last week in honor of Mrs. Chas. McClain of Detroit, who has been spending the past couple of weeks here. Mrs. W. E. Havens won the prize in playing "600". Mrs. McClain served a nice lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ketzbeck and Mr. and Mrs. John Holliday left Tuesday on an auto trip through the principal cities of Northern Michigan. They will enjoy camping along the way and expect to be gone about four weeks.

Eugene Murphy, local express agent is entertaining his mother, Mrs. William Murphy of Benton Harbor. On her return home Friday, she will be accompanied by her son, who will remain over the Fourth of July visiting at his home in that city.

Mrs. Anna Freericksen returned to her home in Manistee Monday afternoon after a several week's visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arnold Lauridsen. She was accompanied by her little grandson, Ellsworth Lauridsen who will visit relatives for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Feldhauser and son Otis and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Feldhauser and daughter, Virginia of Frederic returned home Wednesday of last week from a motor trip to the southern part of the state. They visited relatives and friends in Nason and Hastings.

There will be a dance at the Beaver Creek Town Hall Saturday eve, July 2. Everyone cordially invited. Good music.

Miss Bertha Beyle of Flint returned to her home Tuesday after spending a week with Mrs. Hans I. Petersen.

Mrs. Allyn Kidston and daughter Ada are visiting relatives and friends in Pinconning and Bay City for a few days.

Mrs. Raymond H. Brown and little daughter, Gwendolyn were the guests of relatives in Traverse City a part of last week.

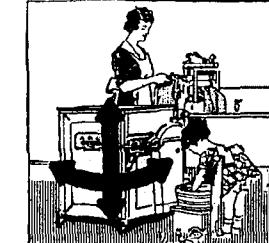
Mrs. John Vaughn of Bay City has been spending a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais. She returned yesterday.

The road contractors have begun work on the truck line thru town after being off the job for several weeks. Work was discontinued temporarily because of the cement blocks placed in the streets at the intersections of Michigan avenue and Ottawa street with Cedar street. This problem, says John Niederer, chairman of the county road commission is still under advisement with the State highway department and will no doubt be determined soon.

See those novelty beads at the Gift Shop.

Some electric washers lift and dip the soiled fabrics in a tub of sudsy water—and it is a good method.

Other electric washers rock and toss the soiled fabrics to and fro in sudsy water—and it is a good method.



The ABC Electric Laundry does both. Rapidly it alternates these good methods, and so it combines their advantages.

2 Ways Beat 1

Don't take time trying to decide between the two leading ways of electric washing, only to get one or the other, when the two ways combined are to be had in the ABC Electric Laundry! Call and see how it offers the advantages of two washers in one, for the price of one!

ABC
Electric Laundry

Dishwasher

Sorenson Bros.

THE HOME OF DEPENDABLE FURNITURE.

Sport hats are most popular for summer wear. We have them at low prices now.

The Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Cohan and son of Detroit are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Landsberg. They are enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Harold Rasmussen and children are resorting at Lake Margrethe, occupying the Lars Rasmussen cottage on the Danish landing.

Howard Granger is taking a vacation from his duties at the Lewis' drug store, and Mrs. Kenneth McCleod is assisting in the store during his absence.

Bertha and Arlene Pollock of Detroit, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pollock arrived Thursday to visit their grandmother, Mrs. A. Kraus for a few weeks.

Miss Olyi Welsh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Welsh underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital Monday morning, and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Herbert W. Wolff and daughter Miss Marjorie arrived Tuesday from Chicago, and are opening their summer home at Lake Margrethe and will be there for the season.

Will the lady who picked up small bank near Cor. Penn. Ave. and Ionia St. with name Lumbermen's State Bank, Bay City, thereon, please return same to Avalanche office.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Frosch and son Frederick left Monday for Houghton Lake to remain for the summer. The former has position in a tannery parlor at that place for the season.

Paul Townsend returned Saturday to Flint after a two weeks' visit with his wife and baby here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Billings. Mrs. Townsend expects to go to Flint next week.

Of interest to the older residents of Grayling will be the announcement of the marriage on June 25th at Auburn, New York, of Miss Ida Louise Woodworth to Mr. William George Walkley. The bride was the daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. William Woodworth, former residents of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Canfield and children Francis and Elizabeth, and Miss Dorothy Kellieut, of Detroit have opened their cottages at the Danish landing for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kellieut, also of Detroit are expected to arrive the latter part of the week.

The four hundred and fifty some commissioned and non-commissioned officers, who were encamped at the Hanson military reservation at Lake Margrethe for four days took their departure the latter part of the week. Contingents left at different intervals during Thursday and Friday of last week. The engineering corps are still at the camp getting things in readiness for the regulars.

July Fourth is to be celebrated in Bay City next Monday at the North-eastern Michigan Fair grounds. This will be the first of a series of annual Independence day celebrations and will be enjoyed by people of north-eastern Michigan as well as Bay Cityans.

The list of attractions is large,

and will include races of all kinds,

field events, speeches and fireworks.

Many of our townspersons are planning on spending the Fourth in the little town northeast of here—Lewiston. The Grayling band and orchestra have been hired for the day and the local South side Independents are scheduled to play two games of baseball with Mio there—one game in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. There will also be other attractions during the day with dancing in the evening. It is sure to be a big day in Lewiston.

A family reunion of the Ostrander family was held in Grayling last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whipple. There were 32 members of the family present and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ostrander, who are making their home in Grayling since fire destroyed their home in Pere Cheney a couple of weeks ago, enjoyed having their children all with again bringing back memories of the days when they were tots at their feet. This is the first reunion the family have held in 38 years. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ostrander have resided in Crawford County for 41 years and had always lived in the little home that recently burned. They are the parents of five sons and two daughters, all of whom are favorably known throughout the County. The day was spent in visiting and auto riding and a serve itself lunch was much enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ostrander and children, Jay, Erma and Glenn of Hillman were here from out of the city for the affair. This was Mr. Ostrander's first visit to Grayling in twenty years.

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The Hat Shop.

Mr. Jack Schmidt and daughter Mildred of Detroit are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith.

Miss Gladys Cameron of Detroit, who is visiting her sister at Frederic spent Sunday in Grayling.

Oscar Olson will leave for Detroit tonight to spend the summer vacation, visiting his father, L. P. Olson and brother Paul.

Mrs. Charles McClain of Detroit, who has been a guest at the homes of Ambrose McClain and John Schram the past couple of weeks returned to her home yesterday.

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STATE NEWS

Bay City—All cigar stores in Bay City selling baseball pools were notified by the police to quit the practice.

Adrian—Dr. Harlan A. Freeman was re-elected president of Adrian College at the meeting of the trustees here.

Pontiac—The Pontiac board of education has arranged to purchase \$50,000 of the district's own bonds from a sinking fund.

Cadillac—Charles Clock of Farwell died of injuries received when run over by an Ann Arbor train after falling from the top of a car.

Manistee—The most improved still ever seen by the police was confiscated when the home of John Werlowski was raided. Four quarts of liquor and 12 gallons of mash were found.

Vassar—A trip to Niagara Falls, chaperoned by Superintendent and Mrs. Earl R. French, will be enjoyed by 30 students of the Vassar high school who were there this year.

Holly—Charles Crosby, 58, a farmer residing two miles south of Holly, was killed by lightning. Crosby was returning from the barn to the house and paused for a moment to watch the storm.

Adrian—Theodore Odell, 12 years old, of Clinton, was probably fatally injured when his small truck was struck by a New York Central passenger train at the Main Street crossing and demolished.

Kalamazoo—Michael Brennan, charged with passing fraudulent checks made out to "John Chapman" and signed by "L. W. Sutherland," is under arrest here. Many merchants accepted the checks.

Lansing—Mrs. George Finnie, of Lansing, charged with aiding her husband to escape from the county jail at Mason, was bound over to the next term of the Circuit Court after an examination in justice court.

Flint—An underground cavern reached only through a tunnel and guarded with elaborate camouflage, which was found on the farm of Louis Carpet, near Duffield, by Sheriff Vette and deputies, revealed one of the biggest moonshine plants ever seized here.

Osceola—Officers all over the state and particularly along the Canadian border, have been asked by Shiawassee county officers to watch for Earl Ritter, 35, a farmer, living near Bancroft, who, it is charged, has murdered three banks in the county out of approximately \$5,000.

Lapeer—Alton Inman, 16-year-old Lapeer youth, was electrocuted while attempting to repair the line supplying his home with current from a high voltage wire. Pressing his clothes, the electric iron he was using became cold and the boy sought to determine the reason.

Bay City—Godfrey Kubach, a tinsmith, forgot that his truck was in gear when he cranked it in front of a Water street business place. It ran over him, causing severe bruises and cuts and then crashed into the large plate glass windows of a shoe store, doing several hundred dollars damage.

Kalamazoo—Lost out of a car driven by William Thompson, William Reed, 13 months old, was severely injured. The child was riding on the rear seat and either climbed out or was bumped out on the rough pavement. The driver did not notice the baby's absence until after it was taken to the hospital.

Baldwin—A 150-pound buck got his horns tangled in the woven wire railroad fence a mile east of here and was found by section men just after he had broken his neck. They skinned the carcass and salted the meat, but before they could divide it a game warden learned of it and confiscated the hide and meat. The meat was sent to the poor house.

Kalamazoo—Provision making it illegal for a foreigner to become a city official or an employee of the city government was written into the new charter by the commission which was elected last April to revise the city's fundamental law. An amendment permitting department heads to employ aliens who have declared their intentions of becoming citizens was adopted.

Manistee—Oil failed to pacify troubled waters in this instance. Instead it caused trouble. Because, it is alleged, he permitted waste oil and refuse to seep into the Manistee river from the gas plant of the Michigan Light company, of which he is manager, Charles S. Kressler was arrested by Police Chief Crady, who, as harbor master, was empowered by the city commission to take whatever steps were necessary to stop the flow. The action followed a verbal clash at the council chamber.

Saginaw—George F. Higgins, of Detroit, unanimously was elected president of the Michigan State Aero. Fraternal Order of Eagles, at the annual election of officers which closed the state convention held here. Other officers elected were, vice-president, Charles Crandall, Owosso; secretary, Robert Graham, Grand Rapids; treasurer, John N. Richter, of Saginaw. Escanaba was chosen as the location for the 1922 convention. The convention went on record as favoring a state or national system of old age pensions.

Lansing—New records for road construction will be set by the State Highway Department this year. According to L. N. Neilson, civil engineer of the department, 1,000 miles probably will be completed. The total cost will be upward of \$20,000,000. The state has more than \$13,000,000 to spend this season, including the \$10,000,000 limit set by law and more than \$3,000,000 of last year's bonds recently sold. The unemployment situation has much to do with the rapid progress in road building. Last year 245 miles were completed.

Owosso—Herman B. Sturtevant, lumber man and leader in civic and church affairs here, is dead after an extended illness.

Eaton Rapids—Mrs. Ruth Young, wife of an overseas soldier, took her life by swallowing poison. She leaves a young son.

Muskegon—Alfred Kooikamp, 11 years of age, was drowned while bathing in the municipal beach. Two hundred companions failed to note his disappearance until his body was found by divers.

Port Huron—Unless D. U. R. officials show an inclination to join with city in paving Twenty-second street, there is possibility of rails on that street being torn up, according to a statement by Commissioner A. J. Smith.

Pontiac—Appointment of Negroes to the Pontiac police force is being sought by a Negro organization, which holds a reduction of crime in Negro residence districts will follow. Additional police may be appointed in August.

Owosso—An automobile owned by Freeman Land, of Pontiac, and stolen about two months ago, has been found here. Sheriff Sproule declares that it stood on the streets here for six weeks without being noticed.

Ann Arbor—Visiting nurses and training school instructors for six states, who attended the two week's institute of the Michigan League of Nursing association here, have urged the holding of a similar institute next year, to which the state league has agreed.

Grand Rapids—"Hello, old man, I'm feeling fine now, thanks." That was the last statement of Joseph Hoffer, 46, cigarmaker, to Detective Garritt who a moment later picked him up in his automobile. A blood vessel had been ruptured. Hoffer died immediately.

Grand Rapids—Fred E. Calkins, a drug store clerk, who says he saw three boys steal articles from a counter, cornered them, locked them up in a telephone booth and called the police. The boys are Walter Liszewski, 15; Lawrence Punches, 14; and Edward Hahn, 14.

Port Huron—The activities of the St. Clair County Community Board will be continued under the direction of the National Community Service. The latter organization, it is stated, is supported by men of means who desire to have community service work reach every city in the nation.

Grand Rapids—The Ottawa Indians are not going to carry on their fight to recover Michigan lands, including the site of Grand Rapids. This proceeding was ended in district court when William J. Musqually, an aged Indian, changed his plea to guilty of impersonating a federal officer.

Grand Rapids—Frank Likieta, 8, who had been missing from his home was found under some lumber which had fallen on him. Lumbermen discovered the boy, who had been imprisoned all night and was unconscious when found. He was badly bruised and had a skull wound, but is expected to recover.

Kalamazoo—A divorced couple here, Clyde Baker and his former wife, eloped to save living expenses. He was paying her alimony. A note left for friends said they had departed for Mishawaka to begin housekeeping. Baker was recently brought into court on a contempt charge for failure to pay monthly allowances.

Hart—J. J. Estrada, who came here from Muskegon to paint the smoke stack on the Roach Canning factory, lost his hold when within five feet of the top, or up 85 feet, and fell to the ground, breaking a leg and injuring his back so that he was paralyzed. He was rushed to the Ludington hospital, but died soon after reaching there.

Grand Rapids—After saving his sweetheart, Florence E. Clement, 26, Raymond S. Knight, 26, was drowned in Grand river, when their canoe capsized. Knight, who was unable to swim, managed to keep afloat until the girl was rescued by other canoeists, and then exhausted, sank in the deep water at the mouth of Mill creek.

Flint—Action taken by the city council barring jitney busses from streets on which street cars are operated, and laying down strict operation regulations, including that the busses take indemnity insurance, prompted 27 bus owners, operating on the Saginaw street route to turn in their licenses to the city, asking for a refund of their license fee.

Grand Rapids—The seller's viewpoint of the grape situation in Michigan is encouraging, according to R. W. Dunham, Grand Rapids' broker, who has just completed an investigation into crop and market conditions. Mr. Dunham says the crop will average about 20 per cent less than that of last year and there will be a willing market because of this shortage.

Lansing—A plan to initiate by popular petition a constitutional amendment to make the state superintendent of public institutions an appointive office and increase the membership of the state board of education from three to six, has been launched by prominent educators of the state. The plan as tentatively outlined would give the enlarged board the appointive power, and would virtually make the superintendent of public instruction a seventh member of the board, in a secretarial and advisory capacity.

Kalamazoo—An expansion program which will include the expenditure of \$1,800,000 in three years for more property was announced at the annual meeting of the board of trustees of Kalamazoo College here. The board announced the purchase of the Stockbridge property, formerly the residence of former United States Senator Stockbridge, which will be used as a site for several buildings. The college will build a new administration building, woman's building, library, science building, gymnasium and central heating plant.

PLAN U.P. RANCH OF 15,000 ACRES

WORK OF CLEARING BIG AMASA TRACT BY ROSEBUSH CO. TO TAKE THREE YEARS.

EXPERIMENT WITH NEW CROPS

Company to Ascertain Whether Certain Corn Crops Can Be Raised On Large Scale With Profit.

Iron Mountain, Mich.—The most important and biggest land clearing and agricultural project ever attempted in the upper peninsula of Michigan, has been launched by the Rosebush Ranch company, a subsidiary of the Patten Paper company, of Appleton, Wis., owners of the Triangle Ranch company at Amasa, about 45 miles from this city.

The project is that of clearing 15,000 acres of virgin land and putting it into agricultural as well as stock grazing use, as soon as possible.

The owners desire to make their ranch a perfect feeding ground for western steers, and also to ascertain whether certain crops can be produced on their soil on a large scale with a profit. The owners are determined to make a success of the ranch and will stress this undertaking.

Land clearing operations will cover a three year period, during which time 2,500 acres will be transformed each year into level ploughed fields, ready for crops. As soon as the land has been prepared, the company will enter the agricultural field on a wholesale scale. Agricultural experts will be employed.

Fifty-three men are on the pay roll now, 40 of them in the land clearing operations. Four motor tractors and nine teams are being used to drag stumps out of the way and haul underbrush.

MAKE MOVIE OF EARLY HISTORY

Girl Winner of Beauty Contest in State to Have Lead.

Marshall, Mich.—Miss Alice L. Albaugh, winner of a Chicago newspaper's \$1,000 prize in a state-wide beauty contest, has signed a contract with the State Pictures company, of Grand Rapids, to appear in a film produced by them to be known as "Conquered Hearts." Miss Albaugh has resigned her position with a corset company here and will go to Grand Rapids July 15.

The film will be based on Nellie M. Flakert's story, "The Frontiersmen," dealing with the early history of Michigan. Miss Albaugh will take the leading part.

FORMER MAYOR FILES APPEAL

Robert V. Mundy Brings Suit Against Judge to Supreme Court.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—Former Mayor Robert V. Mundy, of Bay City has filed formal appeal to the supreme court in his libel action against Judge John S. McDonald, of the Kent circuit court.

The issue involved is whether a judge, in the course of his duties, is immune from ordinary processes of law. The action grows out of findings submitted by Judge McDonald after his circuit court grand jury investigation into alleged vice conditions in Bay City.

RADICALS LOSE IN CONVENTION

Conservative Socialists Win Fight Against Dictatorship.

Detroit—"Dictatorship by the proletariat" has no place in the platform of the American Socialist party, delegates to the ninth national convention decided during its Sunday session held here.

This decision was the second victory for the conservative wing of the party under leadership of Morris Hillquit, Victor Berger, Algernon Lee and Cameron King, of California.

STATE APPOINTMENTS HELD UP

President Harding Anxious to Avert Party Split In State.

Washington—Because of the complicated political situation in Michigan, involving selection of collectors of internal revenue, President Harding has stepped into the breach with the announcement that no appointments in Michigan will be made until terms of the Democratic officeholders expire.

Chicago—The Pullman company lost its open shop fight before the United States railroad board when the board upheld the contention of union leaders that the company had not obeyed "the letter and spirit" of the transportation act when it conferred with its employees in mass meetings. The board threw out the company's petition for a cut in the wages of its shop employees and instructed it to meet the "duly elected representatives" of the employees.

New York—Suit was filed here by the widow of Colonial Roosevelt, and other members of the family to establish the validity of a claim for \$69,000 upon the former president's estate. The co-plaintiffs with Mrs. Edith K. Roosevelt were Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and George Emelin Roosevelt. All three sued as executors. The \$69,000 claim was brought by Mrs. Emma Burkett, who holds a note in that amount for which she asserts Col. Roosevelt went surely.

ANGELL INAUGURATED AS 14TH PRESIDENT OF YALE



JAMES R. ANGELL

New Haven, Conn.—James Rowland Angell was inaugurated as fourteenth president of Yale June 21.

The gathering in Woolsey hall included official representatives from sister universities in the United States, Canada, Great Britain and continental Europe, of learned societies at home and abroad, and of state municipal and civil bodies.

The inauguration was made a part of the 220th commencement exercises, when 769 degrees were conferred.

FAMILY RE-UNITED BY TRAGEDY

Vicksburg Couple Meet at County Following Shooting Affray.

Kalamazoo, Mich.—Out of the tragedy of last week when Robert Thompson, of this city, was shot and killed by Dr. Frank S. Collier, mayor of Vicksburg, has come one result that will make for the happiness of an estranged couple and their three children. Christian Weber and his wife, in the shadow of their brother-in-law's death, affected reconciliation at the county jail where she called on him after his repeated requests were transmitted to her by the officers.

It was their estrangement which led directly to the killing of Thompson. They mutually promised to forgive and forget and the officers released Weber, who had been held as a material witness.

The inquest has been postponed until Dr. Collier who was also seriously wounded could attend and testify in his own behalf. His friend say he shot in self-defense.

SWEENEY GETS APPOINTMENT

New Escheat Chief Will Administer Funds Under New Law.

Lansing—The state inaugurated a new policy of dealing with estates of persons who die intestate and without heirs with the appointment with Governor Grosbeck of Henry S. Sweeney, assistant attorney-general, to the office of state administrator.

Property of those who leave no wills or legal heirs escheats to the state. The previous plan had been for probate courts to appoint local administrators who handled the estate until all claims had been paid, including very liberal fees for themselves, and then turned the remainder over to the state board of escheats.

This resulted in great loss to the state which will be eliminated, it is believed, by the new policy.

FORREST HIGGINS TRIAL STARTED

124 Examined Before Jury Was Seated; to Sit in Slaying Case.

Corunna, Mich.—After 124 men had been examined, the jury to try Forrest Higgins on a charge of slaying Lucy Wittum last March was seated and immediately sworn in by Judge J. H. Collins. The trial is expected to last from three weeks to a month and members of the jury will be locked up during that time and not permitted to communicate with anyone except in the presence of an officer.

The jury is composed of 10 active and two retired farmers.

85,504 VETERANS NOW TRAINING

Former Service Men and Women Take Advantage of U. S. Aid.

Washington—The federal government is conducting the world's largest university with 85,504 students— all former service men and women. The students are scattered in 15,000 placement training and 2,000 educational institutions. Women, former army nurses and yeomen, number 704 on the student roll.

Would Fine Women Smokers.

Washington—A puff on a cigarette may cost Washington women \$25, if a bill introduced by Rep. Johnson, Democrat, Mississippi, becomes a law. The measure provides that women who smoke in "public places" shall be fined \$25 for the first offense, and \$100 for a second infraction. A similar schedule of fines is proposed for proprietors of public places, which the bill enumerates as dining rooms, theatres, stations, who permit women to smoke on their premises.

Sub Transports Irish Leaders.
New York—Two submarines flying the Irish republican flag maintain a regular under-sea passenger service between this country and Ireland for officials and agents of the Irish republic, says Captain B. J. Shanley, wounded veteran of the Sixty-ninth regiment of New York. Eamonn de Valera, president of the Irish republic arrived in this country in 1919 in an Irish submarine, Shanley declares, and left secretly for Ireland several months ago in the same fashion.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Navy Radio for Press Dispatches.

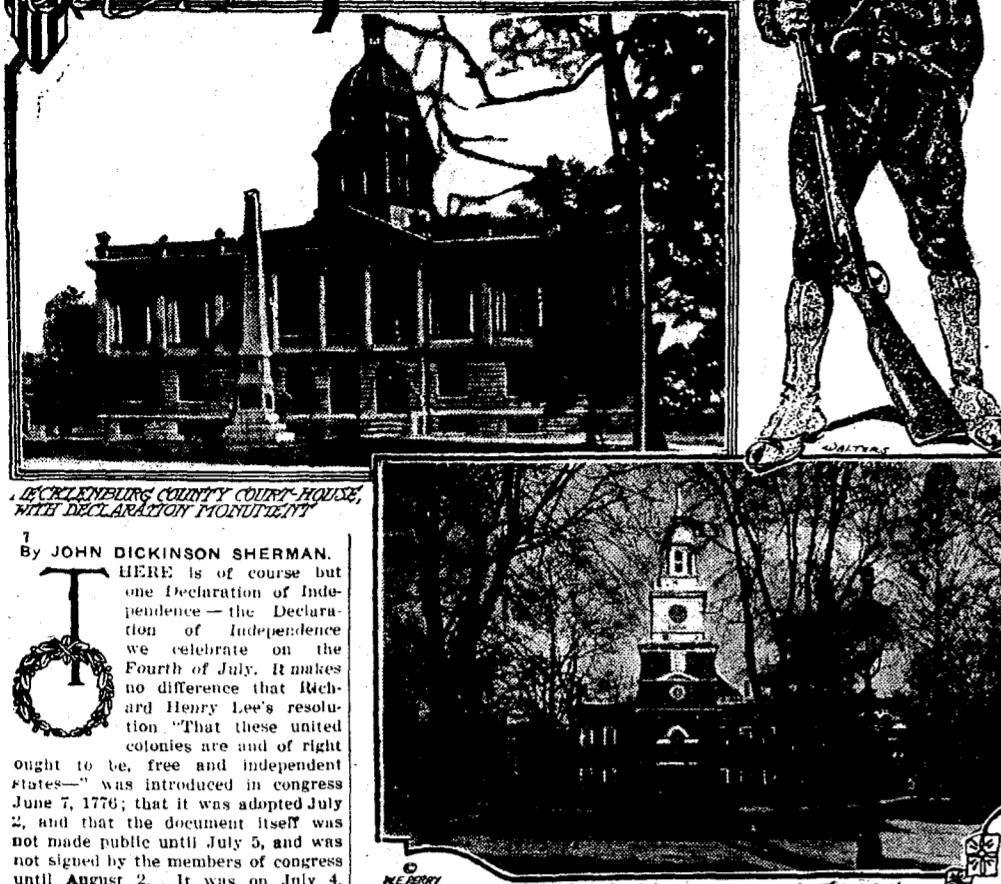
Washington—Transmission of press dispatches by navy radio without hindrance or interruption until June 30, 1922, would be authorized by a resolution passed by the house and sent to the senate.

Get \$10,000 From Bank Runner.

Philadelphia—Four masked men in an automobile held up Frederick Myers, a runner for the Mutual Trust company, and seized a bag containing \$10,000. The runner fired after the fleeing men who escaped with the money.

Shoots Man Who Wronged Her.

Declarations of Independence



MECKLENBURG COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, WITH DECLARATION MONUMENT

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN.

HERE is of course but one Declaration of Independence—the Declaration we celebrate on the Fourth of July. It makes no difference that Richard Henry Lee's resolution "That these united colonies are and of right ought to be, free and independent states—" was introduced in Congress June 7, 1776; that it was adopted July 2, and that the document itself was not made public until July 5, and was not signed by the members of Congress until August 2. It was on July 4, 1776, that the vote on the Declaration itself was taken, and the document ordered "authenticated and printed." So the Fourth of July it is—and ever shall be.

Nevertheless, there are other Declarations, and some of them come pretty near being Declarations of Independence, except that they were not adopted by Congress. The truth is that independence was in the air for some time before July 4, 1776. The leaders preferred to say that they were "petitioners in arms," even after Lexington and Concord and Bunker Hill, and many of them doubtless had no determination for independence. But the people in many localities were ripe for independence. So it is not to be wondered that some of them made declarations.

One of the earliest of these Declarations was that of the people of Menden, Mass., March 1, 1773. It speaks for itself, and here it is:

"That all men have naturally an equal right to life, liberty and property."

"That all just and lawful government must originate in the free consent of the people."

"That the good, happiness and safety of the people is the great end of civil government."

"That a principle of self-preservation, being duly planted by the God of Nature in every human breast, is necessary, not only to the well-being of the individual, but also to the order of the universe, as attraction and cohesion are to the preservation of material bodies and the order of the natural world."

"That a voluntary renunciation of any power or privilege included in or necessarily connected with a principle of self-preservation is manifestly acting counter to the will of the great Author of Nature, the Supreme Legislator, that a right to liberty and property is absolutely inalienable."

"That the claim of the parliament of Great Britain to the power of legislation for the colonies in all cases whatsoever is abhorrent to the spirit and genius of the British Constitution, to the letter of our charter and to the most obvious principles of reason and to the essential natural rights given us by God Almighty; and, finally,

"That the introduction of standing armed in a free country in time of peace, without the consent of the people, is a violation of their rights as free men."

Then there is the Declaration of the people of Hanna's Town, May 16, 1775. On that day the men of that portion of the colony of Pennsylvania lying west of Laurel Mountain and embraced in the present limits of the county of Westmoreland, then, and for long afterwards claimed by Virginia to be within the limits of Augusta County, in the Old Dominion, assembled at Hanna's Town, then the seat of justice, to take counsel on the situation. The first two paragraphs of the document adopted are as follows:

"At a general meeting of the in-

habitants of Westmoreland county, held at Hanna's Town on May 16, 1775, for taking into consideration the very alarming situation of the country occasioned by the dispute with Great Britain, resolved unanimously, that the parliament of Great Britain by several late acts has declared the inhabitants of Massachusetts Bay to be in rebellion; and the ministry, by endeavoring to enforce said acts, has attempted to reduce the said inhabitants to a more wretched state of slavery than ever before existed in any country; not content with thus violating their constitutional and charter rights, they would strip them of their rights to the wanton and unpunishable sport of a licentious soldiery and depriving them of the very means of subsistence.

"Resolved, unanimously, That there is no reason to flout but the same system of tyranny and oppression will, should it meet with success, in Massachusetts, be extended to other parts of America; it is therefore become the indispensable duty of every American, of every man who has any love for his country, or any bays for posterity, by every means which God has put in his power, to resist and oppose the execution of it; that for us we will be ready to oppose it with our lives and fortunes, and the better to enable us to accomplish it we will immediately form ourselves into a military body to consist of companies, to be made up out of the several townships under the following association, which is declared to be the Association of Westmoreland County."

And, finally, there is the famous so-called "Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence," adopted at Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, May 20, 1775, of which the first three resolutions are as follows:

"Resolved, That whatsoever directly or indirectly, abetted, or in any way, form or manner, countenanced the unchartered and dangerous invasion of our rights, as claimed by Great Britain, is an enemy to this country, to America and to the inherent and inalienable rights of man."

"Resolved, That we, the citizens of Mecklenburg county, do hereby dissolve the political bonds which have connected us to the mother country, and hereby absolve ourselves from all allegiance to the British crown, and absolve all political connection, contact or association with that nation, who has wantonly trampled on our rights and inhumanly shed the blood of American patriots at Lexington."

"Resolved, That we do hereby declare ourselves a free and independent people, and of right ought to be a sovereign and self-governing association, under the control of no power other than that of our God and the general government of the congress, to the maintenance of which independence we solemnly pledge to each other our mutual co-operation, our lives, our fortunes, and our most sacred honor."

Bats Breed in Cave

In a mountain near Montebello, Luzon, Philippines Islands, there is a large cavern, with many branching rock formations, and a central dome 200 feet in height, perforating the mountain top, from which, in December last, an American officer saw issue a bold column of bats, which flew rapidly, in straight line, for 15 minutes, disappearing over a mountain range in the direction of Manila, without a

single bat having left the column, says the Christian Science Monitor, told the officer that the flight of the bats had occurred at practically the same time each day during two years. From other sources it was learned that the phenomena had been observed for at least 30 years.

Indian Anesthetic.

While Indians have no anesthetic, properly speaking, their constant use of "coca" creates insensibility. They

always apply this plant to wounds, bruises and contusions for healing purposes, and, as it certainly tends to deaden pain if not to eliminate it, they unconsciously employ an anesthetic. It is extremely difficult to obtain information from Indians regarding trephining, either merely because of their dislike of white men and their dread of interference and punishment, or because they associate "magic" with the practice and therefore think it must be protected by profound secrecy.

of very pale blue here and there; or a bedroom suite stained in oak with a cream or ivory background, with either blue and yellow cretonne over-draperies or brown and cream drapes, ivory curtains and a brown and tan rug rug?

Providence Will Not Do All. As a general rule Providence seldom vouchsafes to mortals any more than just that degree of encouragement which suffices to keep them at a reasonably full exertion of their powers.—Hawthorne.

CONDENSED CLASSICS

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE
Condensation by John Kendrick Bangs

IT WAS in the days when African slavery flourished under the free skies of America. Evil times had befallen the house of Shelby, and pressing debt required the sacrifice of a portion of the holdings of the Kentucky planter in human chattels. Uncle Tom instead of the freedom that had been promised him as the reward of a lifetime of devoted service found himself torn from wife, home and children, transferred to the hands of an unscrupulous trader, and consigned to the terror-ridden slave-markets of the lower Mississippi. So trusted had the black man been that numerous avenues of escape lay open to him. Of one of these, in the dead of winter, over the ice-bound waters of the Ohio river, by the "underground" to Sandusky, and thence to freedom in Canada, the mulatto-girl Eliza, and her son who had been sold at the same time, had availed themselves. But Tom's fidelity to his master was too strong, and fearing to involve him in further difficulties he bravely faced the miseries of the future.

"I am in the Lord's hands," said he to those who tried to persuade him to escape, "and there'll be the same God there that there is here."

"Well, it's a nasty mean shame, Tom," sobbed his master's son George, as he bade the old slave farewell. "But remember—some day I'll come down and buy you back."

The voyage down the Mississippi with the slave-gang to which Tom was attached was filled with scenes and episodes of woe and tragedy, but Tom found relief from sorrow in the companionship of a fellow-passenger, a fairy-like little girl, full of the smiling spirit of play, who fascinated by Tom's unusual dexterity in the making of strange toys dear to the hearts of children, clung to him as to an old and beloved friend.

"Where are you going, Tom?" she asked one day.

"I dunno, Missy," said Tom. "Reckon I'm gwinne to be sold to somebody."

"I ain't got nothin' to tell, Marse," said Tom.

"Don't ye dare tell me that ye don't know, ye old black Christian," cried Legree in angry contempt, striking him furiously.

"Yes—I know, Marse," said Tom, "but I can't tell anything. I can die."

"Hark ye, Tom," roared Legree in a terrible voice. "This time I mean what I say. I'll conquer ye, or I'll kill ye! I'll count every drop of blood in your body till you give up."

"Marse," said Tom. "If you was sick, or in trouble, or dyin', and it would save ye, I'd give ye my heart's blood, and if takin' every drop of blood in this poor old body of mine would save your precious soul, I'd give 'em freely as the Lord gave his for me. Do the worst ye can. My troubles will soon be over, but if ye don't repeat, you won't never end!"

For a moment Legree stood aghast, overwhelmed by Tom's words of truth. Two years of this unlooked for happiness passed away, and once more Tom was face to face with misfortune. His flower-like little companion, growing daily more and more fragile, herself in spite of her years envisaging and depressed by the wickedness of the system of slavery which not only destroyed the souls of the oppressed, but debased the character of the oppressors, finally died.

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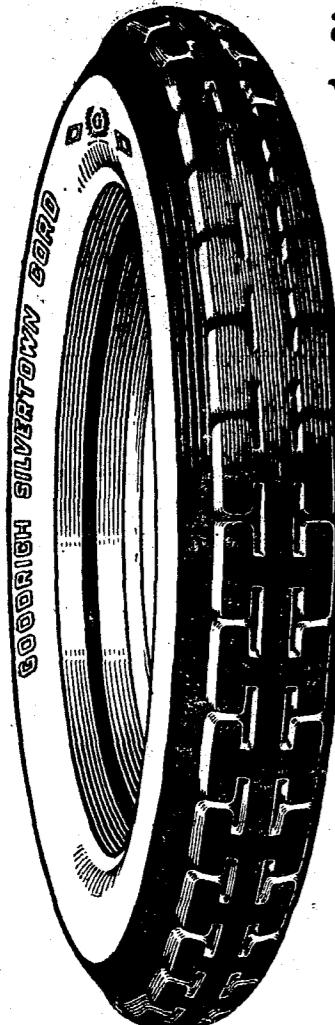
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33x4	43.10	3.70
32x4½	47.30	4.50
33x4½	48.40	4.65
34x4½	49.65	4.75
33x5	58.90	5.55
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To all owners, possessors or occupiers of lands or to any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this State. Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing in any lands anywhere within the village of Grayling, county of Crawford, state of Michigan, or within the limits of any highway passing by or thru such lands, must be cut down and destroyed before the first day of July, A. D. 1921. And also again on or before the first day of September A. D. 1921.

Failure to comply with this notice

on or before the date mentioned or within ten days thereafter, shall make the parties so failing liable for the costs of cutting same and an additional levy of ten per centum of such cost, to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

Also all brush growing upon the right of way of all highways running through or along side of said lands, but not including any shrubs reserved for shade or other purposes, must be cut down and destroyed.

Dated this 27th day of June, A. D. 1921.

Julius Nelson, Street Commissioner of the Village of Grayling of the

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NOTE—All noxious weeds must be cut at least twice yearly, once before the first day of September, and as much oftener as may be necessary to keep them from going to seed.

NOTICE OF TRESPASSING

Take notice: Trespassing or breaking into my premises on N½ of SW¼ of NW½ of section 31, town 27, range 2 is forbidden under penalty of law, and any person doing so will be prosecuted at once. M. P. Miller, Grayling, Mich.

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Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. BAILEY
County Agricultural Agent.

At last a good rain! Let us renew our courage.

Keep the cultivator going now, shallow, to save moisture.

Do not cultivate just to kill weeds. Cultivate three inches deep or less, and not less than once a week to keep the soil loose on top, as this keeps moisture from drying out so fast. Those who do this will be well paid. Those who neglect it will be losers.

Emergency Hay Crops.
It will pay to risk sowing some millet. Put it on your strongest land.

Try some Sudan grass. If the rest of the season is cool and wet, the yield will not be large. If the weather is hot and dry there are large chances that a nice cut of hay will be secured from Sudan grass, if put in at once. Roll the ground several times, making the soil firm helps water rise to the roots of the crop from the depths of earth below as soil creeps up a lamp wick.

Mr. George F. Owen, of Grayling, states that he sowed Sudan grass on the first of July and in thirty days, cut grass over three feet high.

Why not still put in an acre or two of **fodder corn?** If we have rains the corn will still make a lot of fodder and save hay, this winter.

Seed for an acre or two will not cost much.

Buckwheat ought still to be sown in liberal acreage. Some should be sown to cut and some to play in.

Courage.
Though we have had very discouraging times, brother farmers, let's hit again, hard. Try once more on the crops named above. It may keep you from selling your cattle this winter. Let's try! Let's stick! Let's hang on.

Remember the two frogs in the can of milk. One said, "No use, the jig is up," and drowned. The other said, "Life is sweet, I'll try," and kicked away, and was soon riding around on a lump of butter.

Humus.
The soil of nearly every farm here needs more of it. Humus consists of decaying vegetable matter. The more humus there is in the soil, the better crops do. Every crop destroys a lot of humus. It must be renewed plentifully and often or the farm soon runs out. A farm ought not to run out. A man ought to be as ashamed to let a field run out as to starve a horse.

Right now is a good time to put in buckwheat on that poor acid, sour field. Buckwheat will grow there. But, for Heaven's sake, plow the buckwheat in. Don't take it off. A lot of land can be improved by plowing in buckwheat. It will not do next year's crops any good to admit that green manure is a good thing and then fail to use it.

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